



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Date April 12, 2007

In re the Application of

Yoshiaki HAMANO et al.

Group Art Unit: 1745

Application No.: 10/713,104

Examiner: R. ALEJANDRO

Filed: November 17, 2003

Docket No.: 117786

For: POSITIVE ELECTRODE MATERIAL FOR LITHIUM SECONDARY BATTERY, METHOD
FOR PRODUCING THE SAME, AND LITHIUM SECONDARY BATTERY

**LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1st - 3rd EXTENSION
OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND
TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17**

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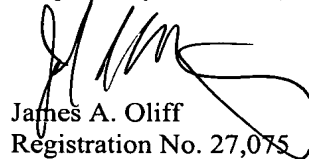
Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period having expired January 12, 2007, an extension of time for a period of THREE months is hereby requested. Attached hereto is our Check No. 191611 in the amount of \$1020 in payment for:

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In reply to the October 12, 2006 Office Action, the period for reply being extended by
the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.